

Lesson 1: Overview: “SH”

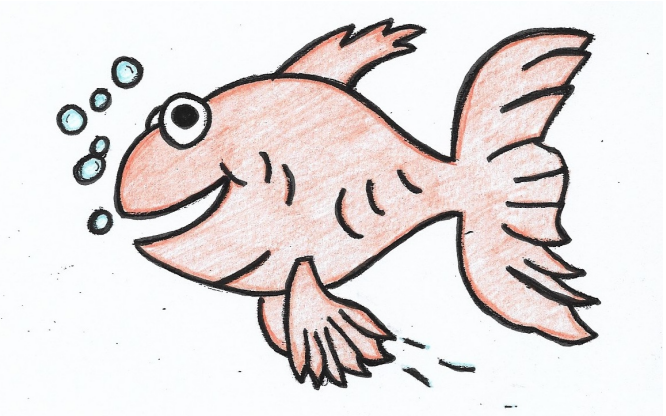
1. **Phonological Awareness:** Rhyming: sump/dump; now/know; pot/pat; snail/pail; sling/ding; house/host; middle/muddle; fresh/mesh; see/tree; black/mat
2. **Flashcard Review:** Students say the letter names and then sound(s): ex. Letters “s,” “h,” (sh). Review cards daily until mastered.
3. **Spelling Dictation:** Teacher dictates the sounds of the phonograms and students echo the sound and spell it on paper or whiteboards. Check. Do 2-3X a week, preferably daily (follow suggested lesson plans).
4. **Introduce New Phonogram:** Identify object in a bag by touch that introduces learned sound (ex. shell, shoe)
5. **Write these three words on the board:** shoe, shell, shack. Have students echo the words and identify what sound these words have in common. (sh)
6. **Review formation of letters,** “sh,” in cursive (see Book 1). Emphasize how to join the letters together correctly.
7. **Introduces and read story,** “Flash—A Fish and a Wish.” Circle words in the story that have the letters, “sh.”
8. **Discuss comprehension questions.**
9. **Play game with story cards** in CPR Game Pack (2).
10. **Do Speed drills** over story (in appendix).
11. **Take home story/speed drills** to practice reading to parents.
12. **Summarize and Affirm.** (Reward students)

A FISH AND A WISH

(“SH” Story 1)

**Swish! Swish! Swish! Flash, a fish,
swims fast. She is in a rush!
She has a wish.**

**Dash! Dash! Dash!
She swims past a ship, docking by
a shop.
Its mesh fish net is in a sham. It
has trash stuck in it. Flash swims
by the fish net in a shot!**



**She swims past a shrimp, shedding his skin. He is in bad shape! He shakes
and shakes to get rid of his skin. Flash rushes on. Shame! Shame! Shame!
She will not stop to help the shrimp. She blushes in a flush, but swims on.**

**Flash spots a shimmering shellfish, resting in sand. Flash grabs it!
Smash! Squish! Crash! Crush!
She shakes, mashes, and ingests.**

**It is fresh! Mmmm! She got her wish!
Flash is a glad, fat fish!**

- 1. How does flash swim?**
- 2. What does the word, “docked” mean?**
- 3. Why is the net “in a sham?”**
- 4. What does Flash swim past that is shedding his skin?**
- 5. Why does Flash blush?**
- 6. What was Flash’s wish?**

Speed Drills for Lesson 1- "SH"

swish	fish	rush	wish
shop	sham	trash	flash
shedding	shape	shakes	rushes
ship	shrimp	she	blushes
shimmering	shellfish	smash	squish
dash	shame	flush	crash
crush	mashes	fresh	wish
swish	fish	rush	wish
shop	sham	trash	flash
shedding	shape	shakes	rushes
shot	shrimp	she	blushes